REMARKS

The Applicant thanks the Examiner for the careful examination of this

application and respectfully requests the entry of the amendments indicated

hereinabove.

Claims 14-20 are currently pending and rejected. Claim 14 is amended

hereinabove. More specifically, the reference to "a semiconductor wafer" in the

preamble is removed, in order to avoid confusion with the semiconductor wafer that

is referenced in the body of Claim 14.

This application is believed to be in condition for allowance. Reexamination

and reconsideration is requested.

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